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From: Diana A <dra805@gmail.com>
Sent: Tuesday, September 21, 2021 10:54 AM
To: City Clerk
Subject: agenda #8 DECLARATION OF A CLIMATE EMERGENCY

Dear Councilmembers,

Please vote yes to adopt the resolution the Declaration of a Climate Emergency. The [Intergovernmental Panel on Climate Change](#) (IPCC) has declared that there is a "Code Red" regarding our climate emergency. We, as a city, must recognize that we must be proactive to address this climate emergency to protect our community. We no longer deny that we are truly in an emergency and the environment needs to be a priority if we want to continue to live healthy lives.

Adopting the Declaration of Climate Emergency will symbolize our City's commitment to combating climate change and mitigate its effect on our Carlsbad communities.

Thanks for your consideration.
Diana Aguirre
Carlsbad D3 resident

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From: Shelah Ott <shelah@hammondclimatesolutions.com>
Sent: Tuesday, September 21, 2021 12:16 PM
To: City Clerk
Subject: Carlsbad City Council Meeting Agenda Item 8 - DECLARATION OF A CLIMATE EMERGENCY

Hi,

I hope you're doing well! Please see below my public comment for the Carlsbad City Council meeting, agenda item 8, DECLARATION OF A CLIMATE EMERGENCY. I am speaking on behalf of my organization, Hammond Climate Solutions.

Good afternoon Councilmembers, my name is Shelah Ott and I'm speaking on behalf of Hammond Climate Solutions. We have all seen and continue to see devastating storms, heat waves, drought, sea level rise and other climate related disasters becoming more and more commonplace. It is clear that we are already amidst the climate crisis - it is no longer some far off nightmare. It is a true emergency that not only impacts every person, plant and animal, but disproportionately impacts our most vulnerable communities, like communities of concern and the youth. In order for the state of California to fight this climate emergency, we must act like it is one. I am urging you to adopt the resolution, approving the declaration of a climate emergency. It is critical that we move forward with bold climate action that matches the urgency and severity of this true emergency. Thank you for your time.

Thank you,

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From: Barbara Diamond <diamondbarb@gmail.com>
Sent: Tuesday, September 21, 2021 12:00 PM
To: City Clerk
Subject: Carlsbad Emergency declaration #11

Council Members:

I strongly urge you to pass the Emergency Declaration

I particularly want you to focus on educating the public, ranging from schools, websites, workshops, paid advertising etc.. This is crucial to the success of the legislation regarding Climate Change. I am a member of various social groups and volunteer groups and I have witnessed the general LACK of awareness of what the government is planning to do.

There should be a position or even a department to educate the public and "nudge" for change of behaviors.

Sincerely,

Barbara C Diamond

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~Barbara Diamond~

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From: Kathy Parker <casparker@outlook.com>
Sent: Tuesday, September 21, 2021 11:07 AM
To: City Clerk
Subject: Comment on tonight's agenda for council members.

Re: item 8....

Please give this item some serious consideration. As parents and grandparents we have a responsibility to do our utmost to leave our kids a healthy living environment. Every decision by the council henceforth on any issue should be done with this in mind. Adopting this resolution gives weight to that end.

Kathy Parker

Carlsbad resident for 46 years.

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To: City Clerk
Subject: comments for Agenda Item 8 Climate Crisis

In March 2020, Gov. Newsom declared a state of emergency in response to the pandemic and in June 4, 2021, Gov. Newsom stated that he did not plan to lift the state of emergency even while declaring California "fully reopen."

At this point, 18 months later, #WeThePeople have caught on that the persistent claims of crisis by the government to claim A STATE OF EMERGENCY - is all about grabbing power from the people.

I would like to see my elected officials speak to the massive increase in cost for electricity and the simultaneous rise in brown outs ... This is shocking and unacceptable. low and middle income citizens bear the brunt of these burdens.

"In 2020, California's electricity prices jumped by 7.5%, making it **the biggest price increase of any state ...**" According to ..the Energy Information Administration... **Californians are now paying about 70% more for their electricity than the U.S. average...** and rates are expected to soar over the next decade. The surging cost of electricity will increase the energy burden being borne by low- and middle-income Californians. High energy costs have a particularly regressive effect in California, which has the highest poverty rate—and some of the highest electricity prices—in the country. In 2020, California's all-sector electricity prices were the third-highest in the continental U.S.,"
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To the sea rise concerns: <https://earthobservatory.nasa.gov/images/147439/californias-rising-and-sinking-coast>

According to a NASA study –I quote - the "Global sea level has been rising at a rate of 0.1 inches (3.3 millimeters) per year in the past three decades.... "and "the elevation of the land is also changing relative to the sea. What geologists call vertical land motion...—or subsidence and uplift—is a key reason why local rates of sea level rise can differ from the global rate. California offers a good example of how much sea level can vary on a local scale <https://www.city-journal.org/californias-wildfire-problem>

Should we be concerned about the recent massive fires in the state? Yes – and the government's mismanagement of the forests which are a cause as well as environmental groups that refuse to allow clean up of forest grounds that directly contribute to the massive nature of these out of control blazes. The environmental damage from these out of control, largely preventable fires is measurable: "the fires in 2018 released more than 45 million metric tons of carbon dioxide into the atmosphere, producing more than nine times more emissions than were reduced in 2017...Green myopia has also blocked efforts to remove the fuel that drives wildfires. **For decades environmental activists, wielding enormous political clout in Sacramento, have obstructed forest thinning, brush removal, and controlled burns whenever possible.** These are not outlandish ideas driven by corporate greed but

proven methods for containing wildfires. Native Americans had enough "ancient wisdom," says Kolkey, to use controlled burns to manage fire risk. More recently, it was a controlled burn that "slowed the advance" of the California Rim Fire in 2013, says Kolkey, and allowed "firefighters to get ahead of the burn, saving a number of homes." <https://www.city-journal.org/californias-wildfire-problem>

And water – this should concern us greatly! And again, our government has let us down. Where is the effort to CAPTURE rainfall and runoff??? Where is the effort to add desalinization plants? Let down by our elected officials on all of these measures.

My concerns return to the attempt to declare yet another crisis – I oppose gov't unilaterally increasing their power over the citizens. I object also to the millions of dollars of tax payer money that seem to flow in from these Emergency Powers.

The Declaration of Independence reads in part: "That to secure these rights, Governments are instituted among Men, deriving their just powers from the consent of the governed, --That whenever any Form of Government becomes destructive of these ends, it is the Right of the People to alter or to abolish it, and to institute new Government, laying its foundation on such principles and organizing its powers in such form, as to them shall seem most likely to effect their Safety and Happiness. Prudence, indeed, will dictate that Governments long established should not be changed for light and transient causes; and accordingly all experience hath shewn, that mankind are more disposed to suffer, while evils are sufferable, than to right themselves by abolishing the forms to which they are accustomed. But when a long train of abuses and usurpations, pursuing invariably the same Object evinces a design to reduce them under absolute Despotism, it is their right, it is their duty, to throw off such Government, and to provide new Guards for their future security."

This citizen #DoesNotConsent to the state – the local government – fearmongering the people into a constant state of crisis so that the government can grant themselves MORE power, more MONEY and more CONTROL.

Please reject this Declaration of Climate Crisis!

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From: Council Internet Email
Sent: Tuesday, September 21, 2021 12:08 PM
To: City Clerk
Subject: FW: Comments Re # 8 Climate Emergency Resolution

From: Diane Nygaard <dnygaard3@gmail.com>
Sent: Tuesday, September 21, 2021 11:51 AM
To: Council Internet Email <CityCouncil@carlsbadca.gov>
Subject: Comments Re # 8 Climate Emergency Resolution

Honorable Mayor and City Council:

If we do not address climate change, half of the species on earth will be at risk of extinction by 2050—and all of the conservation work by organizations like ours will be meaningless. Leadership today can change that dire outcome. Thank you for recognizing how critical this issue is— and taking this important step to integrate climate in your local decisions.

Thank you for adopting this climate crisis resolution today— and for the followup actions that will go beyond words in order to achieve meaningful reductions in GHG.

All of us in north county appreciate your leadership on this issue.

Diane Nygaard
On behalf of Preserve Calavera

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From: Ashley Giada <ash@cleaneearth4kids.org>
Sent: Tuesday, September 21, 2021 12:10 PM
To: City Clerk
Subject: Item 8, Please Pass a Climate Emergency Declaration

Dear Mayor and City Council,

I support the Carlsbad City Council's Declaration of a Climate Emergency. Carlsbad will show join over 1,933 cities across the world and our state that recognize we must take immediately action on climate to reduce greenhouse gases and pollution. Please vote yes and send a clear message that Carlsbad is taking action on climate change.

Thank you,

Ashley Giada

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From: Evelyn Lazalde <elazalde@ucsd.edu>
Sent: Tuesday, September 21, 2021 11:03 AM
To: City Clerk
Subject: Item 8, Please Pass a Climate Emergency Declaration

Dear Mayor and City Council,

I support the Carlsbad City Council's Declaration of a Climate Emergency. Carlsbad will join our state and over 1,933 cities across the world in recognizing that we must take immediate action to reduce greenhouse gases and pollution in order to fight climate change. Please vote yes and stand for Carlsbad's behalf in taking action to fight climate change.

Thank you,
Evelyn
Clean Earth 4 Kids

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Cc: Matthew Hall; Priya Bhat-Patel; Teresa Acosta; Keith Blackburn; Peder Norby
Subject: 9/21/2021 - Agenda Item #8
Attachments: Carlsbad Council 9.21.2021 Top 10 Global Warming Lies That May Shock You.pdf

The climate change proposal is based off false narratives...a few examples.

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Top 10 Global Warming Lies That May Shock You



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Opinion

I am president of the Spark of Freedom Foundation.

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Global warming alarmists frequently make false and deplorable assertions (see, for example, my recent column debunking [false claims that global warming is causing a decline in wheat production](#)), but the Environmental Defense Fund's recent fund-raising mailer, "10 Global Warming Effects That May Shock You," may well set a new low. However, climate realists can make lemonade from EDF's preposterous mailer by using it to show open-minded people the difference between global warming alarmists and [global warming truth-tellers](#).

EDF has assembled what it believes to be the 10 most powerful global warming assertions in the alarmists' playbook, yet each assertion either backfires on alarmists or has been proven false. While reading how flawed EDF's assertions are, remember these are the very best arguments global warming alarmists can make. Open-minded readers should have very little difficulty dismissing the mythical global warming crisis after examining the top 10 assertions in the alarmist playbook.

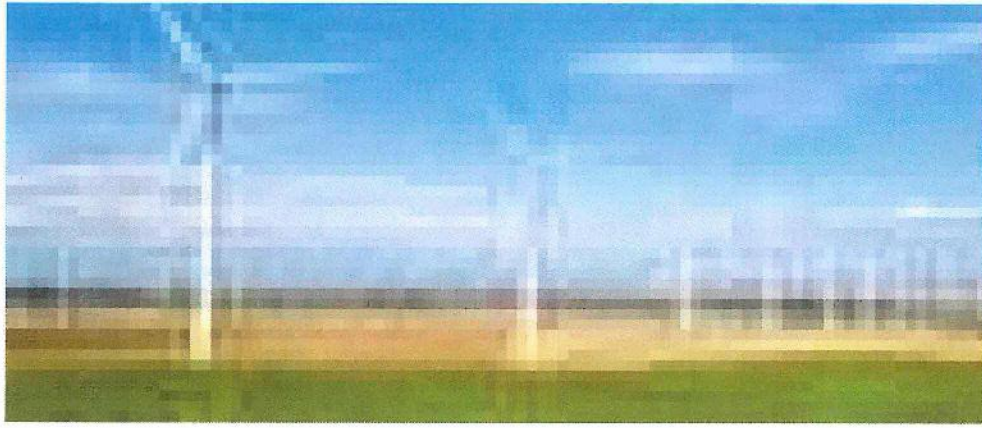
Alarmist Assertion #1

The Facts

Global warming alarmists' preferred electricity source – wind power – [kills nearly 1 million bats every year](#) (to say nothing of the more than 500,000 birds killed every year) in the United States alone. This appalling death toll occurs every year even while wind power produces just 3% of U.S. electricity. Ramping up wind power to 10, 20, or 30% of U.S. electricity production would likely increase annual bat kills to 10-to-30 million every year. Killing 30 million bats every year in response to dubious claims that global warming might once in a great while kill 100,000 bats makes no sense.

Just as importantly, alarmists present no evidence that global warming caused the summer heat wave in a notoriously hot desert near the equator. To the contrary, climate change theory and objective data show our recent global warming is occurring primarily in the winter, toward the poles, and at night.

Australia's highest recorded temperature occurred [more than half a century ago](#), and only two of Australia's seven states have set their all-time temperature record during the past 40 years. Indeed, Queensland's 2014 heat wave [paled in comparison to the 1972 heat wave](#) that occurred 42 years of global warming ago. If global warming caused the 2014 Queensland heat wave, why wasn't it as severe as the 1972 Queensland heat wave? Blaming every single summer heat wave or extreme weather event on global warming is a stale and discredited tactic in the alarmist playbook. Objective science proves extreme weather events such as hurricanes, tornadoes, heat waves, and droughts [have become less frequent and less severe](#) as a result of the Earth's recent modest warming.



Windmills for electric power production, Zaragoza Province, Aragon, Spain. Getty

Alarmist Assertion #2

“Lyme Disease Spreads” – Warmer temperatures are contributing to the range expansion and severity of tick-borne Lyme disease.”

The Facts

Lyme Disease is **much more common** in northern, cooler regions of the United States than in southern, warmer regions. Asserting, without any supporting data or evidence, that a disease that prospers in cool climates will become more prevalent as a result of global warming defies objective data and common sense. Moreover, a team of scientists **extensively researched Lyme Disease climate and habitat** and reported in the peer-reviewed science journal *EcoHealth*, “the only environmental variable consistently association with increased [Lyme Disease] risk and incidence was the presence of forests.”

Granted, alarmists can argue that forests are thriving under global warming, with the result that forest-dwelling ticks will also benefit. However, expanding forests are universally – and properly – viewed as environmentally beneficial. Alarmist attempts to frame thriving forests as harmful perfectly illustrate the alarmists’ proclivity to claim anything and

Moreover, even if global warming expanded Lyme Disease range, one must look at the totality of global warming's impact on the range of viruses and diseases. The [U.S. Centers for Disease Control and Prevention \(CDC\)](#) reports Lyme Disease "is rare as a cause of death in the United States." According to the CDC, Lyme Disease is a contributing factor to less than 25 deaths per year in the United States. Indeed, during a recent five-year span examined by the CDC, "only 1 [death] record was consistent with clinical manifestations of Lyme Disease." Any attempts to claim global warming will cause a few more Lyme Disease deaths must be weighed against the [36,000 Americans who are killed by the flu each year](#). The U.S. National Institutes of Health have documented how influenza is [aided and abetted by cold climate](#). Any attempt to connect a warmer climate to an increase in Lyme Disease must be accompanied by an acknowledgement of a warmer climate's propensity to reduce influenza incidence and mortality. The net impact of a warmer climate on viruses and diseases such as Lyme Disease and influenza is substantially beneficial and life-saving.

Alarmist Assertion #3

"National Security Threatened – The impacts of climate change are expected to act as a 'threat multiplier' in many of the world's most unstable regions, exacerbating droughts and other natural disasters as well as leading to food, water and other resource shortages that may spur mass migrations."

The Facts

The alarmists' asserted national security threat depends on assertions that (1) global warming is causing a reduction in food and water supplies and (2) migrations of people to places with more food and water will increase risks of military conflict. Objective facts refute both assertions.

production. Longer growing seasons and fewer frost events also benefit plant growth and crop production. As this column has repeatedly documented (see articles [here](#), [here](#), and [here](#), for example), global crops set new production records virtually every year as our planet modestly warms. If crop shortages cause national security threats and global warming increases crop production, then global warming benefits rather than jeopardizes national security.

The same holds true for water supplies. Objective data show there has been a gradual increase in global precipitation and soil moisture as our planet warms. Warmer temperatures evaporate more water from the oceans, which in turn stimulates more frequent precipitation over continental land masses. The result of this enhanced precipitation is an [improvement in soil moisture](#) at almost all sites in the Global Soil Moisture Data Bank. If declining precipitation and declining soil moisture are military threat multipliers, then global warming is creating a safer, more peaceful world.

Alarmist Assertion #4

“Sea Levels Rising – Warmer temperatures are causing glaciers and polar ice sheets to melt, increasing the amount of water in the world’s seas and oceans.”

The Facts

The pace of sea level rise [remained relatively constant](#) throughout the 20th century, even as global temperatures gradually rose. There has similarly been no increase in the pace of sea level rise in recent decades. Utilizing 20th century technologies, humans effectively adapted to global sea level rise. Utilizing 21st century technologies, humans will be even better equipped to adapt to global sea level rise

Arctic ice sheet, that decline has been completely offset by ice sheet expansion in the Antarctic. Cumulatively, [polar ice sheets have not declined at all](#) since NASA satellite instruments began precisely measuring them 35 years ago.

Alarmist Assertion #5

“Allergies Worsen – Allergy sufferers beware: Climate change could cause pollen counts to double in the next 30 years. The warming temperatures cause advancing weed growth, a bane for allergy sufferers.”

The Facts

Pollen is a product and mechanism of plant reproduction and growth. As such, pollen counts will rise and fall along with plant health and vegetation intensity. Any increase in pollen will be the result of a greener biosphere with more plant growth. Similar to the alarmist argument, discussed above, that expanding forests will create more habitat for the ticks that spread Lyme Disease, alarmists here are taking overwhelmingly good news about global warming improving plant health and making it seem like this good news is actually bad news because healthier plants mean more pollen.

Indeed, NASA satellite instruments have documented a [spectacular greening of the Earth](#), with foliage gains most prevalent in previously arid, semi-desert regions. For people experiencing an increase in vegetation in previously barren regions, this greening of the Earth is welcome and wonderful news. For global warming alarmists, however, a greener biosphere is terrible news and something to be opposed. This, in a nutshell, defines the opposing sides in the global warming debate. Global warming alarmists claim a greener biosphere with richer and more abundant plant life is horrible and justifies massive economy-destroying energy

Alarmist Assertion #6

“Beetles Destroy Iconic Western Forests – Climate change has sent tree-killing beetles called mountain pine beetles into overdrive. Under normal conditions those beetles reproduce just once annually, but the warming climate has allowed them to churn out an extra generation of new bugs each year.”

The Facts

Alarmists claim warmer winters are causing an increase in pine beetle populations. This assertion is thoroughly debunked by objective, real-world data.

As an initial matter, alarmists have responded to recent bitterly cold winters by [claiming global warming is causing colder winters](#). One cannot claim global warming is causing colder winters and then turn around and simultaneously claim global warming is causing warmer winters. Global warming activists' propensity for doing so shows just how little value they place in a truthful debate.

Objective scientific data verify winters are getting colder, which counters the key prerequisite to EDF's pine beetle claim. NOAA temperature data show winter temperatures in the United States have been [getting colder for at least the past two decades](#). Pine beetles cannot be taking advantage of warmer winters if winters are in fact getting colder. Moreover, recent [U.S. Forest Service data](#) show pine beetle infestations have recently [declined dramatically](#) throughout the western United States.

Forests and plant life [are expanding globally](#), and particularly in the western United States. Pine beetles are a natural part of forest ecosystems.

iconic Western forests” when western forests are becoming denser and more prevalent as the planet warms.

Also, beetles have bored through North American forests for millennia, long before people built coal-fired power plants and drove SUVs. Beetles are not dependent on warm winters, as evidenced by their [historic prevalence in places such as Alaska](#).

Finally, pine beetles tend to target dead, unhealthy, more vulnerable pine trees rather than healthy trees. Decades of over-aggressive fire suppression policies have caused an unnatural buildup of older, denser, more vulnerable pine forests. These conditions predictably aid pine beetles.

Alarmist Assertion #7

“Canada: The New America – ‘Lusher’ vegetation growth typically associated with the United States is now becoming more common in Canada, scientists reported in a 2012 Nature Climate Change study.”

The Facts

Only global warming alarmists would claim that lush vegetation and more abundant plant life is a bad thing. Playing on a general tendency for people to fear change, EDF and global warming alarmists argue that changes in the biosphere that make it richer, lush, and more conducive to life are changes to be feared and opposed. If barren ecosystems constitute an ideal planet, then the alarmist fears of more plant life make sense. On the contrary, global warming realists understand a climate more conducive to richer, more abundant plant life is beneficial rather than harmful.

Alarmist Assertion #8

agricultural losses cause billions of dollars in damages, and money is needed to treat and control the spread of disease”

The Facts

Severe storms, floods and agricultural losses may cost a great deal of money, but such extreme weather events – and their resulting costs – are dramatically declining as the Earth modestly warms. Accordingly, EDF’s asserted economic costs are actually economic benefits.

As documented by the National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration and here at Forbes.com, [severe storms are becoming less frequent and severe](#) as the Earth modestly warms. This is especially evident regarding hurricane and tornado activity, which are both at historic lows. Similarly, scientific measurements and peer-reviewed studies report [no increase in flooding events](#) regarding natural-flowing rivers and streams. Any increase in flooding activity is due to human alterations of river and stream flow [rather than precipitation changes](#).

Also, the modest recent warming is producing U.S. and global crop production records virtually every year, creating billions of dollars in new economic and human welfare benefits each and every year. This creates a net economic benefit completely ignored by EDF.

Regarding “the spread of disease,” as documented in “Alarmist Assertion #2,” objective evidence shows global warming will thwart deadly outbreaks of influenza and other cold-dependent viruses.

Additionally, the alarmists’ desired means of reducing carbon dioxide emissions – more expensive energy sources – make economic conditions even worse. Forcing the American economy to operate on expensive and

skyrocket.” The economic consequences of Obama’s global warming policies can already be seen in electricity prices, which are currently the highest in U.S. history. Remarkably, Obama’s global warming policies are increasing electricity prices even while new natural gas discoveries, revolutionary advances in natural gas production technologies, and a dramatic resultant decline in natural gas prices would otherwise spur a dramatic decline in electricity prices.

Alarmist Assertion #9

“Infectious Diseases Thrive – The World Health Organization reports that outbreaks of new or resurgent diseases are on the rise and in more disparate countries than ever before, including tropical illnesses in once cold climates.”

The Facts

Outbreaks of “new or resurgent diseases” are occurring precisely because governments have caved in to environmental activist groups like EDF and implemented their anti-science agendas. For example, DDT had all but eliminated malaria in the United States and on the global stage during the mid-20th century. However, environmental activists championed false environmental accusations against DDT and dramatically reduced use of the life-saving mosquito killer throughout much of the world. As a result, [malaria has reemerged with a vengeance](#) and millions of people die every year as a result.

Also, as documented above in “Alarmist Assertion #2,” global warming will reduce the impact and death toll of cold-related viruses such as influenza. In the United States alone, influenza kills 36,000 people every year, which dwarfs all heat-dependent viruses and diseases combined. Few people other

from Lyme Disease (which, as documented above, isn't even related to global warming).

Alarmist Assertion #10

“Shrinking Glaciers – In 2013, an iceberg larger than the city of Chicago broke off the Pine Island Glacier, the most important glacier of the West Antarctic Ice Sheet. And at Montana’s Glacier National Park glaciers have gone from 150 to just 35 over the past century.”

The Facts

Calling attention to anecdotal incidents of icebergs breaking off the Antarctic ice sheet, while deliberately ignoring the overall growth of the Antarctic ice sheet, is a misleading and favorite tactic of global warming alarmists. Icebergs break off the Antarctic ice sheet every year, with or without global warming, particularly in the Antarctic summer. However, a particular iceberg – no matter how large – breaking off the Antarctic ice sheet does not necessarily result in “Shrinking Glaciers” as EDF alleges. To the contrary, the Antarctic Ice Sheet has been growing at a steady and substantial pace ever since NASA satellites first began measuring the Antarctic ice sheet in 1979. Indeed, during the same year that the EDF claims “an iceberg larger than the city of Chicago” broke off the Antarctic ice sheet and caused “Shrinking Glaciers,” the Antarctic ice sheet [repeatedly set new records for its largest extent in recorded history](#). Those 2013 records were repeatedly broken again in 2014. The Antarctic ice sheet in 2013 and 2014 was more extensive than any time in recorded history, and yet the EDF pushes the lie that the Antarctic Ice Sheet is shrinking.

The EDF’s assertion about Glacier National Park is also misleading. Alpine glaciers at Glacier National Park and elsewhere [have been receding for over](#)

plants and driving SUVs. Moreover, opening up more of the Earth's surface to vegetation and plant and animal life would normally be considered a beneficial change, if global warming alarmists had not so thoroughly politicized the global warming discussion.

There you have it. These are the 10 best arguments global warming activists like EDF can make, along with the objective scientific facts that prove them wrong.

No wonder global warming alarmists are so terrified of people having access to both sides of the debate.



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